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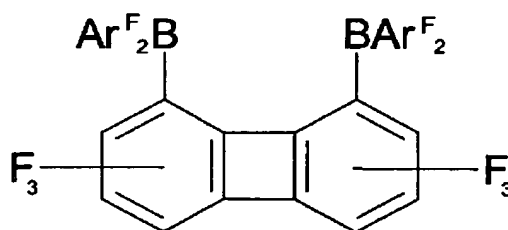
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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph located on page 4, line 22 through page 5 line 15 with the following paragraph:

This invention is generally directed to a method for cationically polymerizing olefin monomers comprising the step of using a composition having the chemical structure:

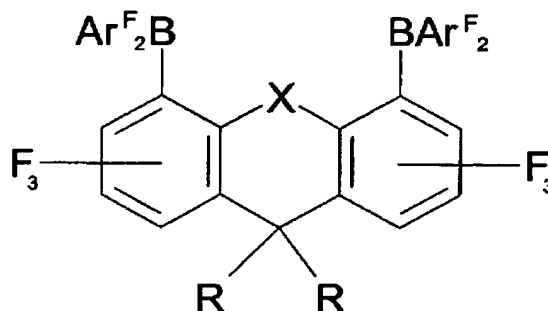


wherein $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}} = \text{C}_6\text{F}_5$ or $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}_2} = \text{C}_{12}\text{F}_8$

as a coinitiator in an organic phase or neat monomer reaction phase.

Please replace the paragraph located on page 7, line 26 through page 8 line 18 with the following paragraph:

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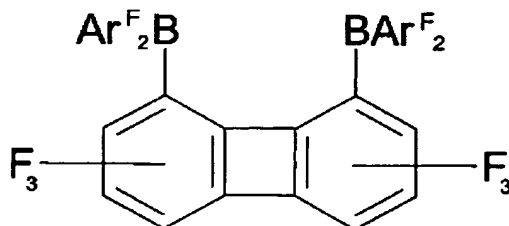
wherein $X = \text{CH}_2$, NR , or O

and $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}} = \text{C}_6\text{F}_5$ or $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}_2} = \text{C}_{12}\text{F}_8$

as a coinitiator in an organic phase or neat reaction phase.

Please replace the paragraph located on page 16, lines 20 through 25 with the following paragraph:

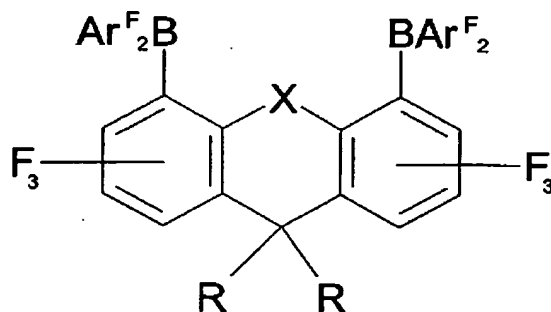
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wherein $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}} = \text{C}_6\text{F}_5$ or $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}_2} = \text{C}_{12}\text{F}_8$

Please replace the paragraph located on page 19, lines 20 through 25 with the following paragraph:

11)



wherein $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}} = \text{C}_6\text{F}_5$ or $\text{Ar}^{\text{F}_2} = \text{C}_{12}\text{F}_8$